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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119, Applicants' claim to the benefit of filing of prior Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-207400, filed July 16, 2002, as stated in the inventors' Declaration, is hereby confirmed.

A certified copy of the above-referenced application is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

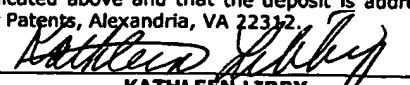
  
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